

SPONSOR: Rep. Lynn

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 149th GENERAL ASSEMBLY

HOUSE AMENDMENT NO. 2 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 45

- 1 AMEND House Bill No. 45 by inserting after line 3 and before line 4 the following:
- 2 "(b) The Attorney General shall appoint a Deputy Attorney General third-party hearing officer to act as the
- 3 administrative hearing officer to adjudicate charges brought by the Director of Consumer Protection against any person.
- 4 Such hearing officer shall be a Deputy Attorney General third-party hearing officer who is not assigned to the Fraud and
- 5 Consumer Protection Division."

SYNOPSIS

This Amendment removes the ability of the Attorney General to appoint a Deputy Attorney General to act as the administrative hearing officer to adjudicate charges brought by the Director of Consumer Protection and instead requires the Attorney General to appoint a third party hearing officer to act as the administrative hearing officer to avoid conflicts of interest.

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